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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This Preliminary Amendment is filed in response to the Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures mailed July 24, 2001. Please amend the application as follows:

In the Specification:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.121(b), please replace the table on page 16, beginning on line 2, entitled Table III - N-TERMINAL SEQUENCES OF PROTEINS with the following rewritten table:



Spot#	N-terminal sequence
10	SKETFQRNK (SEQ ID. NO. 1)
12	TTESLETLVE (SEQ. ID NO. 2)
15	LAVSSGDQEVSQEDLLKE (SEQ. ID NO. 3)
18	XPAGNPAFPVIP (SEQ. ID NO. 4)
21	AKTRTLKGDG (SEQ ID NO. 5)
24	SDSSHNLLYNK (SEQ ID NO. 6)
25	VLLYSQASWDQRSKADAL (SEQ. ID NO. 7)
26	KAVYVQD(A/Q)E(V/D)Q (SEQ. ID NO. 8)